STATE OF VERMONT PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Docket No. 8300

Petition of Entergy Nuclear Vermont Yankee, LLC and)
Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc., for a certificate of)
public good, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 248 and 10 V.S.A.)
§ 6522, authorizing the construction of a second)
independent spent fuel storage installation storage pad)
and related improvements, including installation of a)
new diesel generator with an electrical rating of)
approximately 200 kW, at the Vermont Yankee Nuclear)
Power Station in the Town of Vernon, Vermont)

Order entered: 10/30/2014

PREHEARING CONFERENCE MEMORANDUM

On October 29, 2014, the Vermont Public Service Board ("Board") held a prehearing conference in this proceeding. Appearances at the prehearing conference were entered by Matthew Byrne, Esq., of Gravel & Shea, P.C., Leslie A. Cadwell, Esq., of Leslie A. Cadwell - Legal Counselor & Advocate PLC, and Nancy Malmquist, Esq., of Downs Rachlin Martin PLLC, on behalf of Entergy Nuclear Vermont Yankee, LLC and Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (collectively, "Entergy VY"), Aaron Kisicki, Esq., on behalf of the Vermont Department of Public Service (the "Department"), Chris Campany, on behalf of the Windham Regional Commission ("WRC"), and Clay Turnbull on behalf of the New England Coalition ("NEC").

At the prehearing conference, Entergy VY recommended that, due to ongoing engineering studies which have the potential to alter the design of its proposal, the Board not establish a schedule for this proceeding at this time. Instead, Entergy VY proposed that it would consult with the other parties and the Clerk of the Board to identify possible dates for a status conference in the late winter or early spring of 2015. The Department had no objection to Entergy VY's request, while WRC and NEC stated that they had no objection provided that the delay would not result in a schedule lacking sufficient time for review and participation by other parties.

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Based on Entergy VY's representation that the delay will not result in a compacted schedule, we adopt its recommendation. Notice of a status conference will be issued once an appropriate date has been identified.

SO ORDERED.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 30 th day of October	, 2014.
s/James Volz)	Public Service
	Board
s/Margaret R. Cheney)	OF VERMONT

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

FILED: October 30, 2014

ATTEST: s/Susan M. Hudson
Clerk of the Board

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